## BALTIMORE CITY--COMMISSION FOR HISTORICAL AND ARCHITECTURAL PRESERVATION

CDBG SURVEY YEAR: N/A

AREA: Barclay

SURVEY NO.: B-4230 MAGI NO.: 0442305704

ADDRESS: 2321 Guilford Avenue

CURRENT NAME: N/A

BLOCK:

LOT:

USE: Residential DESIGNATION:

HEIGHT: 2

CONDITION: Excellent

LOT SIZE:

MATERIALS: Brick, marble

OWNER: St. Ambrose

ADDRESS:

ACCESSIBLE: Yes, restricted

LIBER/FOLIO:

HISTORIC NAME:

DATE: Ca. 1915 ARCHITECT/BUILDER:

STYLE (IF APPROPRIATE):

## DESCRIPTION:

The two-story, two-bay rowhouse on the east side of Guilford Avenue was built of iron-spot Roman brick on a raised basement faced with white marble. Marble steps, granite sills and lintels embellish the window and door openings. The basement level has two single light windows faced with wire grids. Above a marble belt course, the first story window has a transom above two panes, a replacement of the original twoover-two. The door is also a modern replacement. The upper story windows are one-overone. A simple molded and bracketed cornice, continuous along the entire row completes the facade. The roof is flat.

## SIGNIFICANCE:

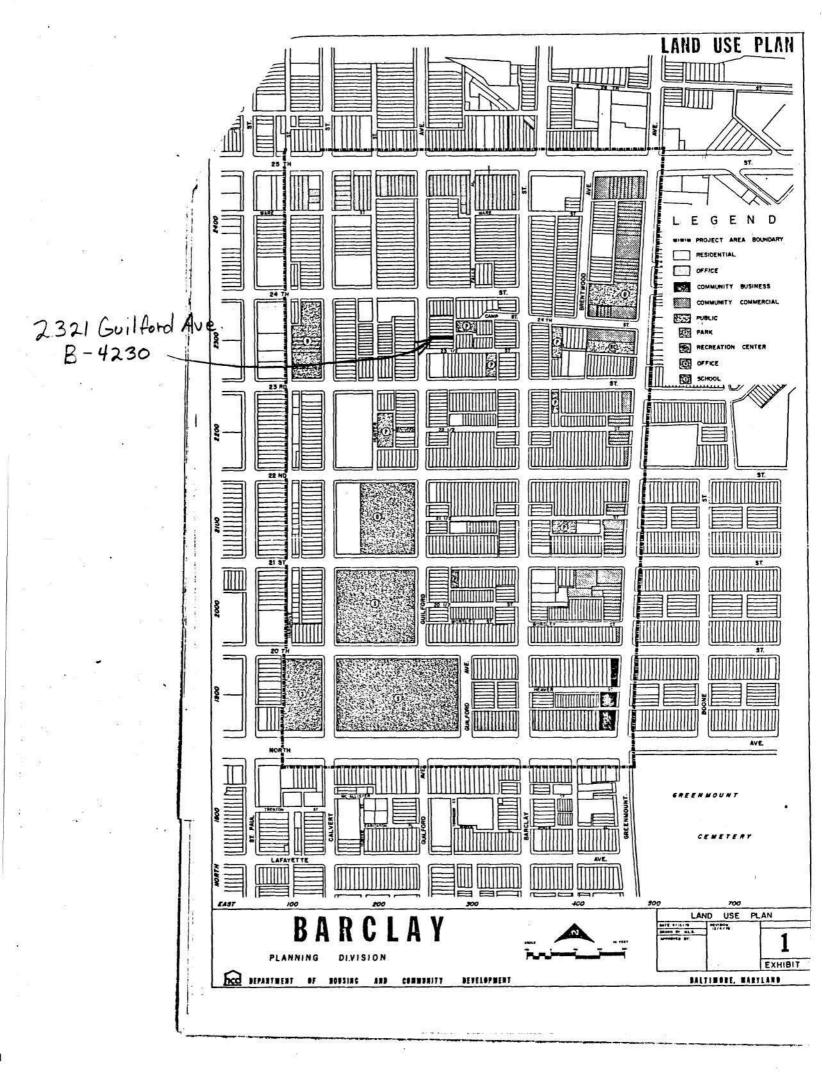
AREA: Architecture

LEVEL: Local

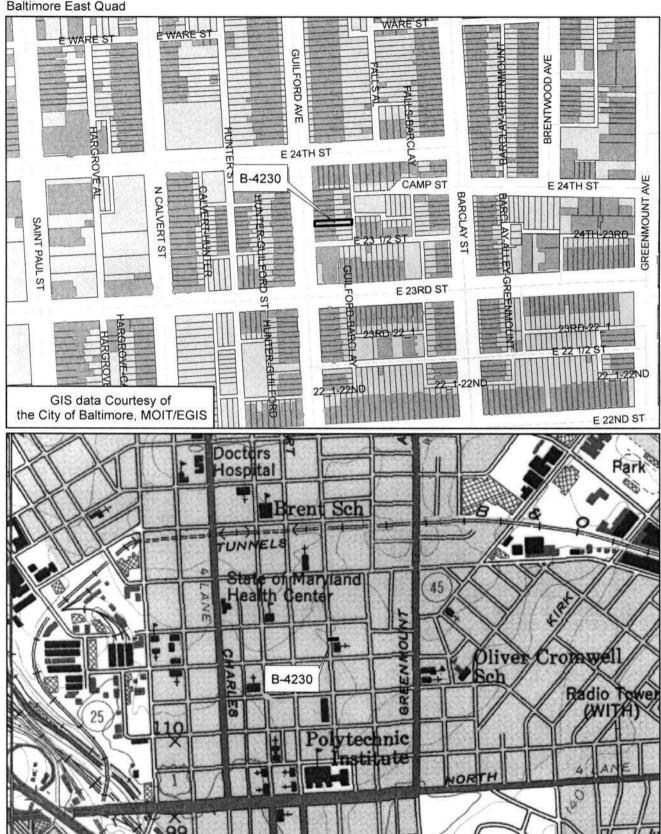
The house at 2321 Guilford Avenue is a contributing structure in an undefined potential historic district in the Barclay area, in which there are similar architectural values to the Charles Village/Abell National Register Historic District. The 2300 and following blocks of Guilford were developed about 20 years later than the surrounding blocks because Union Park, the home of the Baltimore Base Ball Club, was located between 24th and 25th Streets from the late nineteenth century to about World War I. Guilford Avenue ended at the ball park outfield wall at 24th Street.

SOURCES: Bromley's Atlas of Baltimore (1896)

SURVEYOR AND DATE: Janet L. Davis, CHAP, December 1988



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2321 Guilford Avenue B-4230
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West elevation